

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

In a method for repeat transmission of messages in a centrally controlled communication network including a plurality of terminals a single message transmission from the central station (ZE) is received by all terminals of a participating group (broadcast, multi-cast). As soon as a receiving terminal has detected loss of a transmitted message or an error in the transmitted message, it transmits a repeat request (NACK, ACK) for repetition of the message transmission over another communication link, especially a point-to-point communication link. The central station (ZE) repeats the message transmission of the lost or erroneous message within and for a predetermined time interval.